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In re Patent Application of:

Joun-Ho Lee, et al.

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For: IN-PLANE SWITCHING LCD DEVICE

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Examiner: M. Landau

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed September 15, 2003 (Paper No. 5), Applicants hereby provisionally elect Group I, Claims 1-3 for continued examination.

The Examiner has required restriction between Claims 4-7, drawn to an array substrate for a LCD device, classified in class 349, subclass 43, claims 8-15 drawn to a LCD device, classified in class 349, subclass 143, and the above elected group of claims.

An action on the merits of Claims 1-3 and a Notice of Allowance thereof are respectfully requested.

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